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Mr. Wayne Becker Marble Cliff Quarries 3135 Trabue Road Columbus, Ohio 43204



John J. Gilligan Governor Dr. Ira L. Whitman Director

Dear Mr. Becker:

As promised in my December 12 letter, your landfill, north of Trabue Road, and your dump, south of Trabue, east of the railroad tracks, were reinspected January 15. The dump has been improved, but is still receiving solid waste in violation of Section 3734.02, Ohio Revised Code, which states that no person shall establish a solid waste disposal facility without first having plans approved; and in violation of Section 3734.03 which prohibits open dumping. The solid waste law and regulations are enclosed.

Let me direct your attention also to Section 3734.01 (E) which defines solid waste. You should immediately cease accepting solid wastes in your dump south of Trabue, east of the railroad tracks.

Your licensed landfill operation, north of Trabue, is still in need of improvement. In particular, cover is not being applied to the edges of the fill area, the front of the working face is not being compacted or properly covered, and the working face is not being properly confined. Mr. Orville Ball, of our Training Section, will be in touch with you to arrange for your operator to attend an operator's training session. I believe that your landfill could be significantly improved without much added equipment or labor.

If you have any questions about these matters, please let me know. Yours truly,

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